

**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hiromitsu TAKEDA et al.

Application No.: New U.S. National Phase of PCT/JP2005/000995

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Docket No.: 128866

For: CATION-MODIFIED PURIFIED GALACTOMANNAN POLYSACCHARIDE AND  
COSMETIC COMPOSITION CONTAINING THE SUBSTANCE

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**